HEARD ON 'CHANGE

It is not exactly the monotony of inactivity that marks the business of the stock exchange these days. On the contrary the daily record of the transactions indicates a market of unusual activity even for this season of the year. It may be admitted there is a good deal of business done, but in spite of that admission and also of the promising record in the case the market, generally speaking, is not a good

There is no indication the public has come back to the market and until that happens it cannot be said the best conditions have been restored. The principal part of the activity or rather of the business which the record shows at the daily meetings for the past few weeks is due in the first place to the trading in the rights to the new 5 per cent bonds of the Capital Traction Company and secondly to the

movement in gas stock.

There has absolutely been no suggestion of general buying in the case of the street railway securities, which up to this time have been the most active on the list. It is evident the public is waiting the developments which may occur when the control

ments which may occur when the control
of the Washington Railway and Electric
Company passes from the voting trust to
the stockholders.

A great deal of discussion has gone on
as to what will happen when this change
becomes effective, especially as to where
the control will then rest. It is not believed
any radical mayor is contemplated in the any radical move is contemplated in the event either of the two interests that have been most prominently mentioned succeed to the control. There is no talk of anything being done except the management of the property in a business like way so as to make most effective, in returns to the stockholders, its earning capacity.

There is nothing talked of in the way of further consolidation that would affect this property except the one that has been in the air for some time past and appears to be still there, only at a more remote point in the blue ether of space, and that is the bringing together of all the street railway systems and lighting companies of the District into one company. Such a scheme has been thought to be promising owing to the theory entertained that the gas company has a good big surplus, which would enrich a mixture that might other-wise not be highly seasoned enough to suit the palate of the modern financier. However, such a project has not been

mentioned for some time past, even in the carelessness of what is known as street gossip, and since the usual spring move-ment in gas stock has been going on during which a few brokers have been uying stock as offered in the market and occa-sionally selling some back to each other, the attention of the street has been di-rected toward finding out what its meaning is. It may be added that up to date no satisfactory answer has been given to that question and there is still a state of doubt as to whether or not this movement is to end like so many others in previous years. in nothing, or whether or not the company is actually going to dip into the alleged surplus and hand out to expectant stockholders some portion of the golden con-

It is quite evident with activity in the market such as indicated above a return to normal conditions has not as yet been But the same may be said of the wider market of Wall street and, in fact, of the stock markets of the world. The financial condition is still un-settled and when the usual disturbing reports of bad crops and other adverse mar-ket influences are taken into account it is not surprising there is not a trend of gen eral buying toward the security market.

In addition to this, while money is quoted as plentiful and low rates are asked, especially for call loans, still in point of fact and especially in this city money is not plentiful for loans on local securities. It is said in explanation of the latter condi-tion that it is due to the large quantity of such collateral now in local banks.

THE FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, May 18.-The week's trading on the stock exchange was reduced to small proportions owing to the settlement and the holidays, but the markets generalclosed much more cheerful than they started, making a good recovery from the lowest level touched. In addition to the dampening influences of fresh loans, prices weakened early on the labor trouble among the railway men and unrest in India, but the more favorable outlook in both cases toward the week end brought considerable repurchasing, while the fact that the Indian government began releasing gold on which it had secured options at the Bank of England gave a brighter outlook to the monetary situation and prices recovered accordingly, especially consols, which closed quite firm.

Americans received attention almost wholly by professionals and moved erratically, owing to the uncertainty regarding the crops and fresh capital requirements. Canadian Pacific and Union Paci... ex-perienced the widest fluctuations, but the former finished within two points of last Saturday's closing quotations. Union Pacific was fractionally higher and others were practically unchanged.

After a period of considerable easy money

began getting dearer during the week, owing to the maturing of bills at the Bank of England and the country holiday requirements, Discounts consequently hardened

PARIS, May 18.-Trading on the bourse today was inactive on account of the holi-days, but prices were firm. Russian imperial fours were not quoted. Russian bonds of 1904 closed at 4.90.00 ex-coupon.

BERLIN, May 18.-Prices on the bourse today were firm on increased railroad re-celpts and the satisfactory report of the There will be a holiday on the bourse

NEW YORK BANK STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, May 18.-The Financier

Last week's official statement of the New York associated banks was favorable in t. at it showed an increase in cash and because of a comparatively small gain in reserve requirements, a somewhat important increase in surplus reserve. The loan item indicated a decrease and deposits a moderate increase. The cash gain was \$3,406,900, or a little greater than that which was estimated upon the basis of the traceable movements of money during the which amount was slightly below the sum of the gain in cash less the contraction in loans; therefore the statement made a good

The required reserve against general deposits was augmented \$420,450, deducting which from the increase in cash left \$2,-986,450 as the gain in surplus reserve to \$11,472,675. Computed upon the basis of deposits less those of \$31,657,000 public funds, the surplus is \$19,386,925. Loans were contracted by \$1,414,000, indicating a comparatively small demand for stock exchange operations. The daily average of bank clearings during the week was 270 millions; clearings on Saturday, as the result of Friday's business were \$255,522,600. sult of Friday's business, were \$255,536,422, or much below the average.
Comparisons of loans by individual banks

showed that seven institutions reduced this item by 11-3 millions net; eight banks gained 2½ millions net cash.

MANCHESTER CLOTH MARKET.

MANCHESTER, England, May 18.-Business in the cloth market during he week was more than ever checked by the sharp advance in the price of cotton and the manufacturer's position is becoming increasingly difficult, owing to the high prices of yarns. A few lines of light bleaching cloths were taken for India and odd lots for China, while some inquiry for fine goods was reported for the United States, but generally business was very light, with the producers declining to quote under the present conditions

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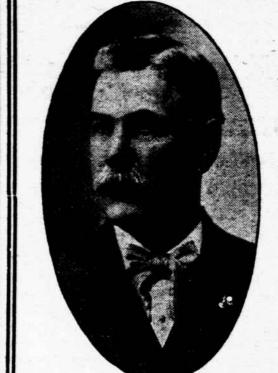
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McDermott in Charge of Hull Mines

Captain William McDermott, the Most Famous Mine Superintendent in America, Under Whose Management the United Verde, Our Next Door Neighbor, Has Paid Millions in Dividends, Is Now in Charge of the Hull Mines, at Jerome, Arizona.



William McDermott

Jerome, Arizona

May 13th, 1907.

Messrs, O. B. Stanton & Son, Philadelphia, Pa.

I am familiar with the property. I believe the property can soon be put on a solid basis, and I feel confident we will succeed in developing another great mine in Jerome. It should not take long to put the Hull Copper Company second to the great United Verde mine in the Jerome District as a copper producer.

With kindest regards and best wishes for the future, I am Very sincerely yours,

This announcement is of the greatest interest to the whole copper world, on account of the eminent standing of Captain McDermott. He has been the right-hand man of Senator Clark, the Copper King, for the last 10 years, and it has been upon Capt. McDermott's advice and reports that Clark has purchased his most famous mines.

The mere fact that Capt. McDermott has taken charge and will personally direct development of Hull Copper Co. is significant to the mining world that the most successful expert and mine worker in America has implicit confidence in Hull Copper. When Capt. McDermott casts his lot with a mining enterprise, staking his enviable reputation upon the success of that undertaking, the success of the property is assured. Capt. McDermott put enough ore in sight in the United Verde to give it the stupendous value of \$100,000,000.00.

Capt. McDermott in taking charge of this property will bring with him the mine boss of the United Verde, a man who has been associated with him for years in developing United Verde.

No Mine Ever Had Better Management

No Mine Ever Had Such Endorsement by the Press of America

"Proven to contain one of the 'argest de posits of copper ore in the world." -Prescott Journal-Miner

"The proposition seems to be presented fairly upon its merits." -The Mining Investor. "The financial backing of the company

-Marquette Mining Journal. "Among the most active of the com panies now being developed is the Hull

"The property of the Hull Copper Company is a producing mine."

-Colorado Graphic

"At the rate the work is now progressing the Dillon tunnel will very shortly break into the rich contact yeln which extends from the United Verde into Hull Copper. -Pittsburg Chronicle

"The operations of this company are said to be only second to those of the United

-Los Angeles Examiner "Two engineers from Scotland, representing a large London syndicate, state that pass any they have seen in Arizona

-Manchester Union. a railroad at its door.' -Hartford Times.

"It enjoys exceptional advantages."

"A number of mining engineers have visited the property in their own interests."

"Hull Copper has crossed another lode, making three lodes on the Eureka Exten-

"The formation in the Dillon tunnel is rapidly changing to schist, which is the formation which carries the ore deposits."

"The only company in the district whose claims surround on three sides the four great producing claims of the famous United Verde.'

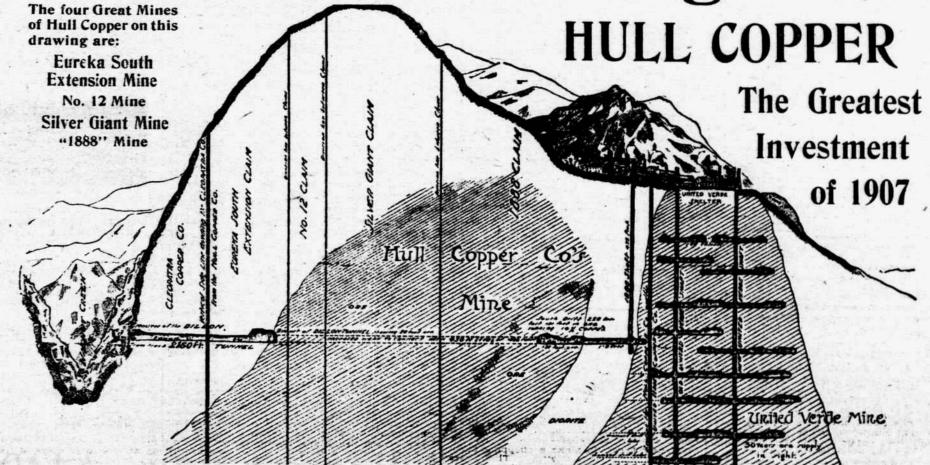
"The claims embrace 250 acres of the very best copper lands. -Detroit

"The mines are now in a high state of development.' -New York World,

"Men are busily engaged in erecting a house for the hoist." -Hartford Times. ."Subscriptions are reported to be very

-Burlington Free Press. "The Hul Copper Company has spent "It is one of the few companies that has \$250,000 on its properties. The ore bodies of the United Verde Mine have been encountered in a number of places on the Hull property."

-Washington Times. -Providence Journal. -Bridgeport Morning Telegram.



Sectional view of underground workings of 4 rich mines of Hull Copper, directly against Senator Clark's \$100,000,000 mine-The United Verde. Notice enormous ore reserves and actual developments. Shaft on 1888 mine 475 feet deep; South drift running 131 feet in 14 per cent copper. Dillon Tunnel in 2,150 feet, where miners are now working into great contact vein.

Hull Copper Advances to 35 Cents on Friday, June 14

Stock Now 25c a Share

Only Until June 14. If Present 25c Allotment Lasts HOW STOCK IS SOLD

\$50 Buys 200 shares at \$10 cash & \$10 a Month, for 4 Mos. Par Val. \$200 \$125 Buys 500 shares at \$25 cash & \$25 a Month, for 4 Mos. Par Val. \$500 \$250 Buys 1,000 shares at \$50 cash & \$50 a Month, for 4 Mos. Par Val. \$1,000 \$500 Buys 2,000 shares at \$100 cash & \$100 a Month, for 4 Mos. Par Val. \$2,000 \$1250 Buys 5,000 shares at \$250 cash & \$250 a Month, for 4 Mos. Par Val. \$5,000

\$2500 Buys 10,000 shares at \$500 cash & \$500 a Month, for 4 Mos. Par Val. \$10,000 Stock is Full Paid and Non-Assessable. We Reserve the Right

to Accept or Reject Any or All Subscriptions. SEND MONEY BY DRAFT, REGISTERED LETTER, P. O. OR EXPRESS MONEY ORDER TO

RAPID DAILY PROGRESS

We have 6200 feet of tunnels, shafts and levels.

The shaft on the 1888 claim, 475 feet deep, is within 150 feet of United Verde smelter. Over this shaft we have built a new holsting plant, which will enable us to bring up the \$40 a ton ore deposits there.

Sound and Conservative Management The Officers and Directors of this Company are responsible business men of

He Omers and Directors of this Company are responsible business men of highest integrity.

Hon. George W. Hull, President and General Manager, member of the Arizona Legislature and has been a copper miner all his life.

Mr. O. B. Stanton, Vice President, is a practical miner of twenty-seven years' experience, and, with his son, has charge of the Eastern Offices.

Mr. M. B. Hazeltine, Treasurer, is cashler of the Bank of Arizona.
Mr. H. E. Wilcox, Secretary, is a well-known capitalist of Jerome; Arizona.
Capt. William McDermott, former Superintenden of the United Verde Mine and maker of America's most famous copper mines.

United States Government Title

Every one of our claims is held under United States Patents, and the Hull Copper Company is sole owner of these claims.

Remember, we have 20 claims, covering over 250 acres of the very richest copper there is in Arisona, where work is actually going on daily.

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street northwest. The president, Mrs. S. G. W. Benjamin, occupied the chair and the minutes of the previous meeting were read by Miss Edith Benjamin, recording secretary. Miss Mabel Estelle Lyman of Washington and Miss Marcia Maria Richardson of Pontiac, Mich., were admitted to membership. The colony commended the lecture to be given by Mrs. Marian week. The deposits increased \$1,681,800, Longfellow O'Donoghue, one of the founders and first president of the colony. Mrs. Mary F. Gibson invited the members to a day's outing at her country home near Vienna, Va., which invitation was accepted with an expression of great pleasure.

The doors were opened to the invited guests and a literary program was presented. Mrs. William H. Seaman read a story about one of her ancestors, "Romance of Ocean Mary;" Miss Edith Benjamin gave some selection from "Pepys' Diary" and Mrs. George T. Smallwood read the will of one Charles Louisbury, which carried a kindly and philanthropic lesson. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The members present were: Mrs. Char-lotte Emerson Main, Mrs. Bertha M. Rob-bins, Miss Josephine C. Webster, Mrs. Mary bins, Miss Josephine C. Webster, Mrs. Mary F. Gibson. Mrs. George T. Smallwood, Mrs. Harry T. Guss, Mrs. Richard Rathbun, Mrs. Paul Brockett, Mrs. Marianna P. Seaman, Mrs. Joseph P. Gilfillan, Mrs. L. J. Young Withee, Mrs. Ellis Logan, Mrs. William H. Chaney, Miss Edith Benjamin and Miss Mabel E. Lyman. The guests included Mr. Charles Lyman, Mr. Ellis Logan, Mr. William H. Seaman, Mr. Paul Brockett, Mr. H. T. Guss, Mr. Thaddeus Robbins, Mrs. Taylor, Miss Emily S. Cook and Mrs. Haven Metcalf.

The Columbian Women held their annual election of officers Monday afternoon, May 13, in the George Washington University building. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. William H. Herron; first vice president, Mrs. J. Hail Lewis; second vice president, Dr. Tufts; recording secretary, Miss MecCord; corresponding secretary. Miss MecCord; corresponding secretary. Miss Peet

AMONG THE CLUBS

Following this paper, Mr. L. D. Bliss and his assistants gave a number of interesting experiments in electricity. The new Hewitt mercury vapor light of 300 candle power was in operation, as was the Nernst electric lamp, which has recently been perfected. The Belgian and Thompson profected. The Belgian and Thompson profected. The Belgian and Thompson professes of electric welding by means of anese and Egyptian magazines it had been exploited in the vernacular. power was in operation, as was the Nernst electric lamp, which has recently been perfected. The Belgian and Thompson processes of electric welding by means of which metal bars were welded together in the presence of the audience in a moment of time proved particularly interesting. of time proved particularly interesting. Probably the most spectacular of the ex-periments was the Tesla high voltage high frequency coil from which electrical discharges of a pressure of 180,000 volts and a frequency of many millions per second were obtained. From this coil with its rapid discharges closely resembling lightning, pow-erful currents were obtained which passed through the human body, producing scarcely any sensation.

The annual meeting of the League of American Pen Women was recently held in the study room of the Public Library, Mrs. Virginia King Frye, president, in the chair. There were four additions to the league membership, viz: Miss H. Rea Woodman of Washington, Miss Louise Malloy and Miss Gertrude Knipp, both of Baltimore, and Mrs. L. H. Wilder of Chicago. The election of officers for the ensuing year oc-curred, all being unanimously elected, as follows: Miss Mabel Louise White, pres-ident; Mrs. La Salle Corbell Pickett, first vice president; Miss Elizabeth A. Hyde, second vice president; Mrs. Edith Kingman Poyer Kern, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Della Hine Mertz, assistant corresponding secretary; Miss Jessie A. Griswold, record-ing secretary; Miss Mae Ruth Norcross, treasurer; Mrs. Helen H. Gardener, auditor; Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes, librarian; Mrs. Juliette M. Rabbitt, historian; Mrs. L. J. Young Withee, reporter; Miss Anna B. Patten, league poet. State representatives: New York. Mrs. Grace G. Thompson Seton; eastern Pennsylvania, Mrs. Dora Harvey Develin; western Pennsylvania, Mrs. Mary Temple Jamison; Massachusetts, Miss Floretta Vining; New Jersey, Mrs. Mary M. Wynn; Ohio, Mrs. Mary L. Lampson; Ten-nessee, Mrs. Kathrin Haden; Illinois, Mrs. Maude M. Jackson; Oklahoma, Mrs. Mattle of yarns. A few lines of light bleaching cloths were taken for India and old lots for China, while some inquiry for fine goods was reported for the United States, but generally business was very light, with the producers declining to quote under the producers declining the forth the producers declining to quote under the producers declining to quote under the producers declining the forth the producers declining the first producers declining the forth the producers declining the forth the producers declining the forth t

exploited in the vernacular.

Miss Elizabeth A. Hyde read the report

of Mrs. Grace Gallatin Seton, one of the delegates to the recent peace congress in New York. Mrs. Seton received a vote of New York. Mrs. Seton received a vote of thanks for her report. Mrs. Evelyn Clark Morgan, delegate jointly for the Listrict Federation of Women's Clubs and the League of American Pen Women, had the honor of having the following resolution written by her adopted at the peace congress: "Be it resolved, That in conjunction with patriotic education the tenets of peace be taught in all institutions supported in whole or part by public funds." Mrs. Morgan, who has recently started on a trip around the world, has been made a memaround the world, has been made a member of the Lyceum Club of London.
Owing to the inability of bars. Mary E. Wilkins Freeman to represent the league at the peace congress, Mrs. Mabel Harte Ramsey of Washington was appointed in

her stead.

...rs. Marian Longfellow O'Donoghue was elected to honorary membership, and a tribute to past work in the league was tribute to past work in the league was rendered by Miss Patten.

Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes was appointed official reader for the league at the Jamestown exposition on "League of American Pen Women Day" and Mrs. virginia King Frye was selected to respond from head-quarters to the visiting members.

Miss Hyde read a resolution of sympathy upon the recent death of Mrs. Jennie Hagan Brown of El Campo, Texas. The resolution was drawn by Mrs. J. O. Estabrooke and Mrs. Juliette M. Babbitt.

number, a chapter from her book, "The Professor of All Outdoors." entitled "What Dobbins Had to Do."

The Men's Club of Foundry .I. E. Church he d its annual meeting Friday evening, at which the election of officers for the enat which the election of officers for the ensuing year occurred. There was also a social program. Rev. George E. Ress, pastor of the Tabernacle Battist Church of Philadelphia, gave an address on the time of the need of human sympathy of men's work in the churches. There were vocal solos by Mr. Peter and euphonium solos by Mr. Henney.

Following are the new officers: President, S. H. Briant; vice president, W. E. Dieffenderfer; secretary, F. J. Stoddard; treasurer, E. L. Finch. A committee was appointed to consider affiliation with the St. Paul Brotherhood. Refreshments were served in the dining rooms of the church.

The closing meeting for the season of the Capitol Hill Literary Society was held Monday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. Norman Beaton, 120 North Carolina avenue. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. M. M. Gordon; first vice president, Maj. George Lawrence; second vice president, Mrs. O. J. Burton; recording secretary, Mrs. J. W. Davis; corresponding secretary, Mrs. S. A. C. Bartlett; treasurer, Dr. James McKee; auditor, Mr. John Bryson; chaplain, Mrs. A. C. Boynton; pianist, Mrs. Curtis Eisinger; reporter, Mrs. C. Norman Beaton. Norman Beaton.
After the transaction of important busi ness a vote of thanks was extended to the Two humorous recitations were given by Mrs. Isabelle B. Chase, after which the members of the society united in singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Refreshments were served.

The closing session of the Short Story Club previous to the summer vacation was held in the club parlors, 522 6th street, May 14. The program was prepared by Miss Rea Woodman. F. V. De Coster, president, presided.

The music of the evening was contributed by the three members of the Star Orchestra, Mr. Geo. Calver and Master Harry Bradley, with violins, and Mr. A. V. Liufino as planist, who played "Happy Heinie," "Somebody's Waiting For You" and "Arrah Wanna."

Miss Claudia F. Ellsworth read the first number, a bright, original story. Dr. Thos. Calver read an original poem dedicated to "The Heroes Whose Memory Ne'er Shall Die."

The sixteenth and final meeting of the Abracadabra Club for 1906-07 was held with Mrs. Appleton P. Clark, jr., 1762 Lanier place, Wednesday evening, the chief magistrate, Dr. Thos. H. McKee, presiding. Thirty-seven members were present, as well as a number of guests, including Rev. Merrill E. Gates, D. D., and Dr. and Mrs. Wilbert P. Thirkield. It being the closing meeting of the season, the president asked Dr. Henry Baker to open it with prayer. The secretary, Mr. Amherst W. Barber, written in meter. The treasurer reported a balance of \$22.75. Responses to roll call consisted of quotations from American statesmen. Lieut. Commander and Mrs. McIntosh were voted into the club's membership. The sixteenth and final meeting of the

tion to the club members to attend the commencement exercises at Rust Hail.

Mrs. Fenelon B. Brock read a paper on "Ancestral Pride From a 'Daughter's of the American Revolution' Standpoint," distinguishing between being proud of ourselves and being proud of others.

The hostess, Mrs. Clark, recited a bright original poem and the program was interspersed with pianola selections by the host and songs by h.s brother, Mr. Gilbert Clark. The evening closed with refreshments and the usual sociability.

The club members present were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas G. Abbot, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Amherst W. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. Fenelon B. Brock, Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Brown, Dr. and Mrs. G. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenelon B. Brock, Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Brown, Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Brumbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Appleton P. Clark, jr., Mrs. M. E. S. Davis, Miss Emily Doherty, Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. Dougherty, Mr. and Mrs. William Emerson, Dr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Gallagher, Mrs. Loretta W. McCreery, Dr. and Mrs. James McKee, Col. and Mrs. Thos. H. McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Aurestus S. Perham, Mrs. Elizabeth L. Pierce, Maj. and Mrs. Geo. C. Potwin, Mrs. Jennie Sterns, Mrs. Myron L. Story, Miss C. A. Van Doren and Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Williams.

Henry E. Williams. The usual meetings were held last week at the Oriental Esoteric Center, 1443 Q street. Miss Marsland spoke last Sunday The talk Wednesday evening was on "The Heart's Desire." The lecturer said that every one had some one central ideal which ruled his life, and that his true progress consisted in transmuting this desire and so gradually purifying the life.

The Excelsior Literary Club held its weekly session Tuesday afternoon at the country home of Mrs. Norris, a member. Thirty members and friends were present. In response to roll call many important events were quoted. Miss McCreery read the minutes of the previous meeting. The next hour was devoted to parliamentary drill and current events, after which the president, Mrs. Emerson, moved to adjourn to the lawn and enjoy a social hour. Re freshments were served.

The Laurels held their semi-monthly so-clal meeting on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Williams, 703½ I street southeast. Following the re-ception of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bates as new members of the club, progressive pitch was played until quite a late hour. First prizes were won by Mrs. Bates and Mr. G. H. Solbach, booby prizes by Mr. Bates and Mrs. Leman. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the games.

terson, Mr. W. C. Stierling and Mr. Harry W. Selah. While the auditing committee was examining the accounts of the treasurer the club was entertained by Miss Corrinne Hay, who recited "Sail On," by Joaquin Miller, Mrs. L. H. Patterson reading "Mary Garvin," by Harry W. Selah, who gave a recitation and told several humorous stories. Mr. S. K. Hail closed the literary exercises as has been his wont the literary exercises, as has been his wont for the past five years, by reciting the calamity that befell the incinerated Sprig-

gins family.

The president appointed the following committee on nominations: L. H. Patterson, W. C. Stierling, Dr. M. S. Iseman, Mrs. S. A. C. Bartlett and Mrs. M. S. Snow, which presented the following persons for election as officers for the ensuing year: President, L. H. Patterson; vice president, Harry W. Selah; recording secretary and reporter, Mrs. L. J. Young Withee; corresponding secretary, Mrs. S. A. C. Bartlett; treasurer, T. M. Suillvan; lecturer, Henry P. Holden, all of whom were unanimously elected except that Mrs. Withea owing the secret that Mrs. Withea owing elected except that Mrs. Withee, owing to other duties, declined. Several other nom-inations were made for recording secretary and reporter, but as all the nominees d clined the honor, Mr. T. M. Sullivan, who clined the honor, Mr. T. M. Sullivan, who has been the recording secretary for the past year, agreed to serve in that capacity until his successor could be elected.

The following board of directors was appointed: Mrs. M. E. Lyddane, Mrs. M. S. Snow, Mr. C. M. Edelen, Mr. Frank M. Hoadley and Dr. M. S. Iseman.

The newly elected president Mr. Patter-The newly elected president, Mr. Patterson, appointed the following hall committee to secure quarters for the ensuing year, viz: Henry P. Holden, Harry W. Selah, T. M. Sullivan, Miss Corrinne Hay and Mrs. 3. A. C. Bartlett.

After a vote of thanks to the retiring of-ficers and to the hostess and her daughters, the club adjourned. Chinese Inspected Naval Academy.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 18.-The Naval Academy was visited yesterday by the four commissioners detailed by the government of China to the Jamestown exposition. The visitors came over from Washington. They are Maj. Wong and Capt. Wong of the Chinese army; Capt. Li and Lieut. Lin of the Chinese navy. Accompanying them from Jamestown was Capt. Sidney W. Brewster, U. S. A., and Lleut. Commander Bryan, U. S. N. Lieut. Commander Waldo Evans, on duty at the Naval Academy, escorted the visitors on a tour of inspection of the institution.

Die."

Miss Katherine Todd read an amusing dialect number called "The Head of the Family."

After intermission President De Coster told a couple of amusing mother-in-law stories; Dr. Calver read an original story called "The Man, the Girl and the Wash Lady," the triple title being suggestive of the humorous possibilities wrought into the club's members, its condition of the club's members and dialect number called "The Head of the Power." Its political power, its commercial and industrial power, its social power, its religious power all were discussed and illustrated.

On motion of Dr. Baker the club gave a the humorous possibilities wrought into the club's members and the Conclusion of the games.

Diamonds valued at \$300,000 have been taken within the last six months from a the celection of officers for the ensuing year was held in the pariors of Mrs. Chas. B. White, No. 225 6th street northeast, Tuesday, light, with President Henry P. Holden, the field has been worked only partially so day night, with President Henry P. Holden, presiding, and T. M. Sullivan acting as section.

Dr. Gallagher extended a cordial invita-